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**UNITED STATES INTELLIGENCE BOARD
COMMITTEE ON PROCUREMENT OF FOREIGN PUBLICATIONS**

Minutes of the Thirty-fifth Meeting, 23 January 1962

Executive Session

MEMBERS PRESENT

AEC - Mrs. Doris M. Freer
AIR - Capt. A. A. Restum
ARMY - Mr. Richard W. Bauer
JCS - Capt. Jack O. Johnson
NSA - [REDACTED] FOIAb3c
CIA - Mr. Walter Pforzheimer, Acting Chairman
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OTHERS PARTICIPATING

AIR - Mr. Donald W. Anderson
- Mr. John S. Honaker
ARMY - Mr. Edward C. Vogel
CIA - [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
DIA - [REDACTED] FOIAb3d
STATE - Mr. F. Robert Berg
- Miss Matild Holomany

1. Progress Report on Procurement of Chinese Communist Publications. After the regular meeting of PROCIB, the Acting Chairman called for an executive session to get the latest report on Chicom procurement from [REDACTED] Chief of the Foreign Section, Acquisitions Branch, CIA Library. [REDACTED] made reference to PROCIB-D-50, 9 October 1961, which was the report of Chicom receipts as of that date. By way of comparison the following receipts were reported:

<u>October, 1961</u>		<u>January, 1962</u>
10	Newspapers	10
6	Provincial papers	18
23	Periodicals	103

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Although the export ban is still in effect, extensive efforts to use all sources are getting better results. The following have been the productive posts: 25X1A6a

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Materials received have been provided ACSI, NSA, AIR/FTD, in addition to CIA. In response to a query as to whether it would be possible at some future date to downgrade Chicom publications received from sensitive sources, the security restrictions were again emphasized: where the post classifies the material being dispatched because of sensitive sources, we must rigidly enforce the restrictions. mentioned that U.S. scientific societies are receiving good material on exchange from Communist China, so prospects seem to be somewhat more hopeful for the future. 25X1X6

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